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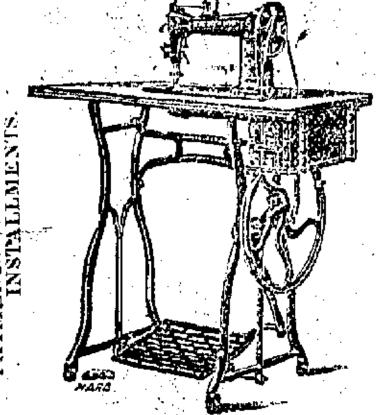
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No. 525, E.C. REGULAR MEETING of ZETLAND

LODGE will be held at FREEMASONS HALL, Zetland Street, on SATURDAY, the let February, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, January 27, 1902.

VICTORIA CHAPTER, No. 525, E.O. REGULAR CONVOCATION the above CHAPTER will be held in the Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, on MONDAY, the 3rd February, at 8 for 8.30 p.m. precisely. VISITING COMPANIONS are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, January 23, 1902. HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLLERS. TIME SEVENTY-FIRST ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, o TUESDAY, the 4th February, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving. a Report of the Directors, together with a

Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, confirming the appointment of a Director, and electing Auditors. The THANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 22nd January to 4th February inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors. T. ARNOLD. Secretary:

Hongkong, January 15, 1902. THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA IN ORDINARY GENERAL MEET ING of this Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 14, Des Voeux Road Central. Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on TUESDAY, 11th February, 1902, at 11 o'clock a.m., when the Subjoined Resolutions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 22nd January, 1902, will be submitted for confirmation as Spe-

cial Resolutions :--RESOLUTIONS.

1. That the Capital of the Company b reduced from \$2,000,000 divided into 100,000 shares of \$20 each, to \$722,000 divided into 72,200 shares of \$10 each, and that such reduction be effected by cancelling the uncalled capital of \$10 pershare on 72,200 shares which have been issued, and by cancelling 27,800 shares which have not been taken or agreed to be taken by any person.'

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JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, January 25, 1902.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAR BANKING CORPORATION.

NATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, February next, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1901.

By order of the Court of Directors. (Sgd.) T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. be reached, and that, last year, there

211 was a considerable deficiency, so that, Hongkong, January 28, 1902. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

ING CORPORATION. NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Registers of Shares of the Corpora-tion will be Closed from SATURDAY, the 1st. to the 15th day of February next (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By order of the Court of Directors (Sd.) T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. , Hongkong, January 28, 1902.

ING COMPANY, LIMITED. TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTEENTH ORDINARY MEETING of Shareholders in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on WEDNESDAY, the 12th February, 1962. at Twelve o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with 171 Statement of Accounts for the year ending

December 31st. 1901. The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from MONDAY; the 3rd February, to Weinespay, the 12th February. (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares can be Registered.

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THE DEPOPULATION OF FRANCE.

The Vienna correspondent of The Standard writes: -- The depopulation of France, in regard to which some new statistics were given the other day in The Standard, is a subject that is at tracting no little attention in the Military countries on the Continent chiefly in connection with the already visible effects on recrniting. The constant falling off in the number of recruits, and the consequent decline in the strength of the French Army, appear to have been regularly recorded by the Intelligence Departments of Foreign Armies; and it is significant that Military writers are permitted to publish comparative statistics on the subject in the daily Press. One of those writers, referring in an Austrian paper to the alterations which, he says, France was earning a title for the little man who compelled to make last month in the has since justified our recommendation peace footing of her Army, points out by becoming Commander-in-Chief, THE Twenty-first Ordinary Annual Meet-that, as late as 1893, the number of And hard enough we worked to earn it. the Uffices of the Company, Pedder's trained soldiers in France exceeded the It's all very well to charge; it's all very corresponding total in Germany by | well to be shot at if you can shoot 140,000 men. It was then calculated, back; its all very well in the he adds, that it would take Germany guns, it's all very well in the horse: ten years to make up the difference, as for, if they do get shot on outshe proposed, at that time, to increase the number of recruits by 14,000 every. 137 year. But, in addition to the ordinary number of recruits, so many supernumeraries offer themselves for enlistment in Germany that, according to the writer quoted, the numerical advantage in trained men which France had over Germany, three years ago will have Honorona, on Saturday, the 15th day of disappeared in half the contemplated period-that is, in two or three years time. He lays particular stress on the

facts that the number of recruits pre-

scribed by law in France can no longer

with all the Volunteers-25,882 in 1899

--it was impossible to form all the fourth

battalions for which credits were voted

simply because the men were not forth Last year, for instance, out of 145 French Infantry regiments, 93 had fourth battalion of only three companies, whilst in 22 regiments the fourth bat-210 talion had only two companies; in 16 regiments it was only a single company THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD- battalion; and in three there was no fourth battalion at all. It was intended, this year, to complete the fourth battaing, by 15 men per squadron; and even as if he had the horrors. Igents for the Kowloon Land and Building the Artillery gets fewer men per batthat full companies could be formed life seems to suit you better than it does

this year. Doubtless the same statistics are known and followed with interest in Germany, Russia, and elsewhere. It may be said, of course, that, for the present, the Military equilibrium between France and Germany still exists but it is no secret that, while Germany could easily culist between 30,000 and 50,000 nien more yearly, the greatest sacrifices in France would not suffice to bring about any considerable increase, simply because the sources of recruiting are dried up.

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TACTICAL STRATEGY, OR STRATEGIC TACTICS.

'Tactics and strategy are things which civvios always confuse,' said the Sergeant. 'Strategy is the art of getting there, and tactics are the art of getting away unharmed. You might suppose strategy to be another name for good boots. But it is not so. Boots and strategy belong to different ends of the body.

Here is a scheme of mine which did

not fall definitely under the head of

either strategy or tactics. It began before we were in touch with the enemy, but its principal use was afterwards. So, by seniority, it may be called tactical strategy. By importance, it may be called strategic tactics. We were up in Afghanistan at the time, post, the vedettes sometimes have a chance of circling right or circling left. But it's on the poor blooming pickets of gravel-crushers that it comes hardest. Furnishing pickets night and day for months: outlying pickets, double sentries, visiting rounds, sentry on the

to-hand fight. They sniped Stephen Rouse when he was one of a pair of double sentries overlooking a lot of scrub in which you couldn't spot a man at night unless you -and re-enlisted soldiers, 6528 in 1899 saw the flash of his rifle. Stephen Rouse never knew there was an Afghan in the scrub till a bullet caught him in the cliest and he tumbled down, coughed a little, rolled over on his face, and died. It was a post which was very good for the safety of the rest of us, but very bad for the safety of the sentry. We buried him next day in a blanket, and Zach Cory and I, who had been his chums, bought his clothes at

arms. Hot as blazes in the day; freez-

ing your lips together, almost, at night.

Never a night without being turned

out. Never a day with a turn in. Al-

ways getting sniped, and never a chance

to shoot back, let alone a decent hand-

the auction. 'Next night Zach and I were to lions of 54 regiments by the addition of a stand double sentry where Stephen fourth company to each battalion; but Rouse had been shot; and, I tell you, recruiting was so had that, instead of neither of us half liked it. It was danthis, 70 companies belonging to fourth | gerous. Well, we were paid for that. battalions had to be broken up, in some But it was wisht to stand where a chum cases by dispensing altogether with the hed been shot the night before. And fourth battalion, in others by diminish- Zach-who considering his father was ing the number of companies. What is a local preacher, ought to have had less even more surprising, the Cavalry fear of ghosts and such like-was worse strength, which in peace time is not than I was. He had been so fed up on much below that in war, had to be ret the Witch of Endor and other hogeys duced, in consequence of poor recruit that he fancied he saw things as much

" You've got very fat lately, Hardtery. It was only in the less important | ing," said Lieutenant Tresidder, as he Corps of Engineers, Commissariat, &c., posted the sentries. "This kind of

> most of us." ""I don't think I'm getting fat, Sir," said I. "But I do feel the cold up here at nights, and I'm wrapping myself up

> "You two, Harding and Cory, have a very ticklish post. You must not let your eyes or brains stand easy while you're here. Remember, the safety of the whole picket depends on your care." Now we waited and walted in cold

> and shivers outside and inside. Every

now and then we heard something

move; every now and then we saw

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something flash. Sometimes Zach would say to me:

"" Don't you see that shinin"! I'm zure 'tes a gun barrel worn bright."

Or I would say: - "Hear that rustling? There's a man pushing the scrub."

It's astonishing what you can see and hear when you think you are going to do so. We had a most unenjoyable evening. It was worse than lying in bed and waiting for burglars. At last, thank God, the relief was coming. We panted Nale. "Who's thicey man that had expected this-how long?-about these three weeks, we thought-only the days were all nights. One long, cold night, such as you get, I understand, round about the North Pole. As our Sergeant Nale, who was in charge, owing to the run on Officers and N. C.

O,'s, looked and said: " Why, I do believe there be only

wan man!"

" "Tes zo, Colour," said Pengelly. "" Where be fother, then?" asked the Colour. "Do 'ee, Pongelly, come with me to the post. Lance-Corporal Jose, take charge of the relief till I do Watson & Co., Ltd., Hongkong.

· "Good God!" said Nale, "they've

For he saw the one man at our post take the bullet fair in the chest, sway a moment, and then fall forward on his face. Then two reports rang out from the ground, thirty yards from where the man had fallen.

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* "Be these independent or volley virin'?' said Nale. "Virst there's a man zhot vrom thicey zerub, an' now there be two men virin at the ylash of the virst un's ritle!"

. "Let me gaw up an' zee, Colour," said Pengelly.

"Only with me, my zon," said Nale. "I dun't underztand 'n, zo volks may be We both always saw and heard, able to call me a bloomin' fool but they wun't have the chance ta call me bloomin' coward."

*As Pengelly and Nale doubled towards the post, Zach Cory and I stood up before them with our smoking Martinis

" "I ded think wan of 'ee was gone," was zhot l'

"We thought we'd look vor him that zhot Zteven Rouse, Colour," said Zach "An' we ded think of we ded bring out hes clothes, part on each of us, an' ded stick'n up, while we ded lie low, 'twould help we. The zniper was i the relief came near our post, old Col- a good hand on a trigger, wa'n't he? But I do reckon ef 'ee'l gaw out ento thicey li'l bit of zerub, 'ee'll vind 'n with a couple of bullete sn'n.

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General Memoranda.

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&c., at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's Sales

Entries for Races of the Hongkong Jockey Club close. Register of Shares of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, closed

from this date to the 15th February. 29 p.m. Grand Concert at the City Hall. 9 p. m. - Meeting of Zealand Lodge. Mannay, February 3:-

8.30 p.m. - Meeting of Victoria Chapter. 9 p.m. - Promenade Concert at the City Register of Shares of The Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd., closed from

this date to the 12th Inst., inclusive. respay, February 4 :---Noon - Meeting of Shareholders of The Hougkong, Canton and Macao Steamboar Co., Ltd., at the Company's Office.

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MARRIAGES. On the 21st January, at the Church of Our Saviour, Broadway, Shanghai, by the Rev. Benj. L. Ancell, MARGARET, daughter of Mrs. Eliza Macpherson, of

Philadelphia, U.S.A., to ALBERT OWEN Loosley, of Ningpo. On the 6th January, CHARLES HUNT, Imperial Maritime Customs, to Enna Louiza, only daughter of L. J. Tandberg.

At No. 11, West End Lane, Shanghai, on the 22nd January, WINIFRED Do-ROTHY, beloved second daughter of Ben jamin and Fanny Wanstall; aged 9 years.

The publication of this issue commenced at 5.20 p.m.

The othing Mail.

CONGROUG, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29, 1902

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way. The Bowery Theatre, New York, has

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha proposes to build a pier at Chefoo.

A commercial treaty between Ital and Russia has been signed.

Major-General C. E. Knox has been granted a good service pension of £18 b.

Hungary is exporting horses to India. Some are bringing as high as 10:0 rupees

It is stated from Tientsin that an orde has been issued for Prince Tuan's execu

Mr Pierpont Morgan has paid £100,000

for Raphsel's 'Madonna' and 'St Anthony The much talked of Echigo Oil Trust,

ing an accomplished fact. During the past year the troops in The Scarcity of Water. South Africa have remitted £2,000,000 of

with a capital of 1,704,500 yea, is become

their pay to relatives. The Marquimrdts, assisted by local talent, have been delighting large audiences in Bangkok by their magnificent

12.30 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of take place on the anniversary of the instal- courses to obtain water. A fine of \$15, The Hongkong Ice Co., Ltd., at the lation of Oilvet Cromwell as Lord Pro- with the alternative of a month's imprison-

> Italy has adopted acetylene gas as the best illuminant for lighthouses. An acetylane gashcht is visible beyond the range of the electric light.

> The Chinese Emperor, on the 14t inst, sent an answer to the message in which the Japanese Emperor congratulate him on his return to Peking.

The ridway bridge across the Tach River, at Ban Kamen, is now finished. is the largest undertaking of its kind in Siam, the centre span being 90 metres.

The Chinese Court was so pleased with its milway travelling that it has withdrawn its objection to the station at the Temple of Heaven. Progress is certainly being nade in Clima.

L'Echo de Chine (Shanghai) mentions with all reserve,' a runnouf that the Wagons-Lits Co. proposes to build a hote on the Bund at Shanghai with a capital

5,000,600 francs (£120,000). Bangkok Sports Club opened on the 9th inst. This is the first meeting held under the auspices of the new Club, and resulted in a most gratifying success.

The German cruiser Hansa has been safely docked in the International Dock at Shanghai. She is the largestcruiser that has ever been docked in Shanghai, being vessel of 5,900 tons' displacement, 345ft 7im. long. 57ft. 10in. in breadth, and draw ing $22\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

A Colonial Naval Reserve.

Admiral Colomb, in a memorandum to the Earl of Selborne, the First Lord of the Admiralty, proposes that Australia, New Zealand, and Canada should provide naval reserve for the garrisoning of Hong kong and Wei-hai-wei in the-event of war. Admiral Colomb says that there is little fear warships attacking coaling stations, owing to the scarcity of ammunition and the limited life of guns.

A GOOD COUGH MEDICINE.

From the Gazette, Toowoomba, Australia. find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is an excellent medicine. I have been suffer-Old Malt Scotch Whiskies: 14.40 ing from a severe cough for the last two months, and it has effected a cure. I have great pleasure in recommending it. -W. C. WOCKNER. This is the opinion of one of our oldest and most respected residents, and has been voluntarily given in good faiththat others may try the remedy and be benefited, as was Mr. Wockner. This remedy is sold by All Deslets; WATKINS 121 Ltd., General Agents.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

News from the Philippines

Poet Burns' Birthday was to be celebrated by the Caledonian Club Manila in royal style.

The City of Manila is being enlarged so as to include Santa Ana, Gagalangon and the vicinity of El Deposito.

Ladrones are busy terrorizing the in habitants of the island of Negros. American soldiers are on the trail of the bandits.

plant on a large scale, including four linotype machines, is being established, in Rev. Paul H. C. Ciong, & Chinese:

A public printing and book-binding

missionary from Auroy and a graduate of the Foothow Anglo-Chinese College, has arrived in Minute to take up Missionary work among the \$3000 thinese there.

First Licutement Thomas E. Sulzer. commanding the 10th Company of Macabebascouts has Ben tried on a charge of tleman, found guilty, and has been dismissed from the service of the United

In the match at the Happy Valley on | How Britons Promote Trade. Monday between the Hockey Club and the their tactics. Captain Claphum played a in the House of Commons, grand game for the Club at back.

Piracy in Canton Delta.

A London telegram in Australian contemporary says :- 'The Viceroy at Canton, at the instance of Vice-Admiral Sir C. Bridge; is providing a fletilla of river gunboats to be manned by Europeans to suppress piracy in the Kwang-tung province. There is surely some mistake here, for in a Laffan's News Agency despatch sent to us we observe that the Viceroy's action was taken at the instance of our morning con-

At the Magistracy to-day, before Mr | health. Kemp, Mr A. W. J. Simmons of the Public Works Department, prosecuted Mr H. Jessen, No. 9, Queen Gardens, for wasting water. The water had been running into a Shanghai bath, which had been overflowing for some time Mr Jessen said that, if the Government provided a good supply, The coronation of King Edward is to there would be no need to resort to these ment, was imposed.

North-China Railways.

Japanese Consul at Tientsin reports that the railway connection between Chinwangtao and the Tieotsin and Shanbaikuan railway has been completed, and traffic will shortly be opened. Two trains will be rup between Trentsin and Chinwangtao for the time being, in order to connect with the steamers to and from Shanghai. The trainservice will be increased when the number of steamers which arrive or depart from Chinwangtao becomes greater.

Sampans Capsized. One of the men-of-war, in coming up the Harbour yesterday, upset a small sampan. The two occupants were rescued with difficulty. To-day, a sudden gust of charge, ordered her to stand by. He and The January meeting of the Royal his crew succeeded in saving the four occupants from drowning, and in righting the upturned craft.

Art Exhibition at City Hall. Mr G. Brockelbank, the well-known Shanghai water colour artist, is at presen on a visit to the Colony, and has painted some of our best known scenes. These works of art, along with some half-a-handred pictures painted in North China and Japan, are to be exhibited for sale in St Andrew's Hall, City Hall, to morrow and on Friday, and the excellence of the wor not to mention the name of the artist and the reasonableness of his charges, ought to command a ready sale. The local pictures consist mostly of views around Aberdeen, Mr Brockelbank nothaving had time yet to visit any of the other numerous pretty spots in the Colony. The native craft of Shanghai make some pleasing studies, but we think the artist has excelled in his efforts in an around the Palace at Poking. Studies of Japanese village life are also very good. The natural beauty and harmony of colouring, and the excellent sky and water effects portrayed stamp Mr Brockelbank as an artist of great ability whose pictures anyone ought to be proud to possess. It may be mentioned that Mr Brockelbank exhibited last year with success at the Royal Institute of Water Colours, The exhibifeeling entertained by the officials in regard tion is free, and Mr Brockelbank will be glad to receive as many visitors as can spare the time to pay it a call.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Cables.

Direct Cable Communication with Foochow and Shanghai was restored at 10 p.m. last night.

A Mighty Shake. At the New Year's Day reception at Washington President Roosevelt shook

hands with 80,000 people. The Queen's Health. We learn from a London, despatch,

dated 2nd inst., that it was uncertain whot-

her Queen Alexandra would be well enough

to participate in the ceremony at the open-

ing of the Imperial Parliament.

Native Christians in India. The detailed returns of the Indian census show that there was, in 1901, 550,000 more native Christians that there were in 1891. The census of India for 1891 gave the number Christians as 2,284,380.

To-morrow afternoon, on the Happy conduct unbecoming an officer and a gen- | Valley, in the second round for the Hongkong Football Challenge Shield, 'A 'Company, R.W.F., will play H.M.S. Orlando. Kick-off at four o'clock. Sergeant Hayward will referce.

A London despatch says that troops Officers of the Native Regiments stationed | have been sent to Bethesda (Wales), where at Kowloon the Club won by 6 gords to 1. | the Peurhyn strikers have wrecked several In the previous match, played at Kowloon, | houses. The strike at the Penhryn slate the officers defeated the Club by 9 goals to | quarries has now been proceeding for 16 1, but on that occasion the Club found the | months. In August last the sending of Kowloon ground altogether unsuitable to I troops to the district caused a warm debate

Chinese Treaty Revision.

President Roosevelt has appointed Mr John E. Scaman, of Wisner & Co. one of the Commissioners for the negotiation of a revision of the existing treaty between the United States and China, an appointment which cannot fail to give great satisfaction in Shanghai, says the N.-C. Daily News, Mr Seaman is associated in the Commission with Mr Conger U. S. Minister to China, and Mr Goodnow. U. S. Consul-General at Shanghai, General Sharretts, who is tariff commissioner, has

been relieved from the treaty negotiations

at his own request, on account of bad

A Rear Attack. This story is good enough to be made to order. The well-known 'Mr Benjamin Trovato' has rarely done anything better :-- It was during the battle of Colenso, his government, when a perfect hail of shot and shell was pouring into the position occupied by the Dublin Fusiliers. Suddenly one of the privates was seen to turn tail and run as hard as he could. 'Halt, you coward, or I'll put a bullet into you!' roared the coaway like that ? Shure,' answered Private "The following Tokio despatch is pub- Pat, people say that the world is round, lished by a Kobe contemporary:-The so I was only going to attack the energy

Foreign Prestige in China.

In this country (says the N. C. Daily News) it is quite simple to find out what country's prestige is ahead in the estimation given to the study of that country's language over those of other nations. This estimate in regard to prestige is not usually general, but more according to local con-♦ ditions. For instance, in the North the Russians are apparently in the ascendant in the estimation of the Chinese officials in Peking, hence more particular attention is devoted to the Russian language than to others, and as many scholars as possible are obtained to take up the licerature of the wind caused a sampan to capsize near one | Muscovite. In the South, as in Knangsi of the Douglas Company's buoys. The and Yunnan, owing to the contiguity of the launch Wotkins happened to be in the French territorities, great attention is being neighbourhood, and Mr Clark, who was in given to the study of that country's language in preference to English, which at one time was the only language taught, and students, at Canton even, are being especially encouraged to take up French studies. In the Yangtze provinces, however, neither France nor Russia are considered of much importance to the political conditions of that region, but Great Britain and Japan are, and not only is their prestige considerably above the other Powers, but what is more, these two countries are looked upon with really friendly eyes not only by the officials but also by the merchants, gentry, and literati. The English and Japanese languages are therefore to be the principal studies in the various new schools of proposing to give the Philippines from Western learning in the Liangking and Hukuang provinces, beginning with the want the United States to retain only commencement of the next Chinese year, that is, after the 8th February next. In the Government schools also, such as the Tzechiang College at Wuchang and the principal Government schools in Nanking, where hitherto German, French, Russian English, and Japanese have been taught the first three are to be abolished and only in which he favored and predicted eventual the instructors of the latter two-English and Japanese-will be retained from the middle of February next. As the language of America is the same as English what has been said of the latter also refers to the former. Indeed, friendship towards the U. S. would have been greater than towards Great Britain were it not for the ill

TELEGRAMS.

['CHINA MAIL' SPECIAL SERVICE.] -CHINA AND THE POWERS.

AN IMPERIAL APOLOGY. (From Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghal, January 29, The whole of the Diplomatic Corps was received by the Emperor of China at Peking yesterday. The Empress Dowager

was also present. The Doyen of the Diplomatic Corps, on behalf of his colleagues, made a short address to the Emperor.

Thereafter, Prince Ching read the Emperor's reply.

The Empress-Downger then addressed the Foreign Ministers, and expressed regret for the events of the summer of 1900.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.] THE PRINCE OF WALES IN GERMANY.

The German Emperor has appointed the Prince of Wales_Colonel of the crack regiment of the Eighth Cuirassiers.

LONDON, 27th January, 1502.

THE SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

Commandant Remy attacked Colone. Wilson's column in force near Frankfort, Orange River Colony, but was repulsed, leaving ten killed.

Colonel Plumer, on the 25th instant, after a long and difficult march, captured 36 Boers to the north-east of Standerton, Transvaal.

['N.-C. DAILY NEWS' SERVICE.] BRIGANDAGE NEAR TIENTSIN

Tientsin, January 22. Lieutenant Mudus, attached to th Tientsin Provisional Government, was shot by brigands at Chunliangcheng to-day. His condition is serious.

[MANILA TIMES | SPECIAL SERVICE.] THE PANAMA ROUTE. WASHINGTON, January 20.

The President has sent the supple mental report of the Walker Canal Commission to Congress. This report is unanimously in favor of the acceptance of the Panama Company's offer, and the construc-tion of the canal by way of Panama rather than Niearagua, provided that the Colombian government will execute the required treaty in favor of the United States. The Colombian Minister to the United States has already assured this on behalf of

THE TARIFF BILL. The debate on the Philippines tariff bill will begin in the Sonate to-morrow. The

GOVERNOR TAFT VERY ILL.

Washington, January 22. Governor Taft has arrived at San Francisco very ill, and will be compelled to rest in the Golden Gate city for several days before proceeding to Washington.

THE PHILIPPINES TARIFF.

ing on in the Senate indicates that the

The Philippine tariff discussion now go

Committee hill will receive solid Republi can support.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS MANILA SERVICE.] COLOMBIAN WAR-SHIP SUNK New York, January 20. A severe mayal engagement has taker place between the insurgents and

ernment ship was sunk in Panama hurbor RECOMMENDS PANAMA

Colombian Government forces. One gov

of the Report and the passing of the Ac-ROUTE. Isthmian Commission recommends the acceptance of offer of the French company to sell Panama canal for forty million dol lars and the abandonment of the Nicaragua

MANILA. It is reported that the Urgency Bill pro ides for the appropriation of half a million d lars for the maintenance of a permanent military post at Manila,

PERMANENT POST OF

DEMOCRATS WANT FREE TRADE. Democrats have presented a substitute for the Philippines tariff bill in the Senate trade and independence when a stable government shall have been formed. They

military and naval stations in the islands. SCHURMAN FAVOURS INDEPENDENCE.

New York, January 21. Professor Schurman, President of the first Philippines Commission in 1899, has made a public speech in the City of Boston independence for the Philippines.

SCHLEY DENIED APPEAL. Schley has been prevented by the President from making a formal appeal from the findings of the Dewey court.

INSURGENTS KILL GOVERNOR. Governor Alban was among those killed in the naval battle which took place in to the Exclusion Act passed by the former Panama Harbor on Monday. It was a drawn battle, both sides losing heavily.

HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

General Meeting.

The twelfth annual general meeting o the members and subscribers to the Hongkong Benevolent Society was held in the City Hall to-day. Sir Thomas Jackson presided, and there were present Captain G. C. Anderson, Dr Atkinson, Rev. J. H. Franco, and a number of ladies.

The Chairman said-The ladies of the

Committee of the Hongkong Benevolent

Society desire again to thank members and

friends who, through another year, have

given them the means of carrying out the bobjects of the Society, and have the pleasure of submitting to them their annual report of the work done, also statement of accounts. In the course of the year, 27 cases came under the consideration of the Committee. Assistance was given in 16 instances, and several persons, who had been helped previously, were again sided. There were 72 applications for relief at the 'Star' Coffee House, where Mr France. the Seaman's Chaplain, very kindly investi-gates cases on behalf of the Society and gives help to those deserving it. Employment was found in the Colony for several of the applicants, and passages paid for others to various places where they had friends or promise of employment. The Society is paying for the maintenance and education of 7 orphan Children, and monthy allowances have been mide to poor and deserving people. A good deal of clothing has also been given away at different times to those requiring it. Should subscribers wish for more particulars, the Hon, Secretary will be pleased to give further details. The thanks of the Committee are due to the various Steamship Compunies for the kind way in which they have responded to appeals for free or reduced passages, also to the local press for their kindness in inserting advertisements free of charge. During the year, Mrs May, Mrs Swan, and Mrs Thouson left the Colony, and Mrs Master, Mrs Hawkins Mrs Atkinson and Mrs Poate _____ iomed the Committee. It is with extreme regret the Committee has to place on record the loss the Society sustained, in August last, by the death of Mrs Gibbs. The following ladies retire in rotation from the Committee, but offer themselves for re-election :- Miss Anderson, Mrs Forbes, Mrs · Hoare, Mrs Dickson, Mrs Atkinson, and Mrs Poate. The Hon, Treasurer's statement of accounts, as audited by Mr F. Henderson, shows that a balance of \$1030.45 is carmed forward from the working of the past year. The subscriptions and donations amounted to \$1485.62, and the amount spent in relief was \$1879.82. Before asking you to pass the accounts, I will read a little memorandum I have prepared :-Referring to the accounts, it will be noticed that the balance carried forward to the present year is only \$1030.45, against \$1471.07 in 1891 and \$2336.95 in 1900. the fact being that the amount expended during the three years was in excess of the income. When the accounts for 1901 were made up, the Committee realized, the unsatisfactory position the Society was drifting into, and they at once set themselves to devise means to increase their income. Happily, they thought of giving a subscription dance, and this came off most successfully on the 24th inst. The thanks of the Society are specially due to Mrs Hawkins, to the other ladies who assisted her in making the arrangements, and to the public who supported the dance was so liberally. Lam glad to say that the funds of the Society have benefited to the extent of \$1800 by the entertainment. It is urgently requested that increased subscriptions be obtained in order to increase the minority report of the Senate committee on sphere of usefulness of this most excellent Philippine tariff recommends a substitute | Society. -It is all very well to have subwhich provides ultimate independence for scription dances now and again, but I really lonel. What do you mean by running the Philippines, free trade to exist in the think that the people of Hongkong do not meanwhile between the islands and the thoroughly realise the immense good and immense possibilities of good that can be done by secieties such as this. They do their work in a quiet way, and they can ease the path of many a deserving person. I really trust that the subscriptions in this incoming year will be largely in excess of what they have recently been. I notice that they have been decreasing while there is no doubt that the wealth of the place has increased largely during recent years carnestly hope that the subscriptions will improve, and that the Society will be better supported in this good work. Dr Atkinson—I have much pleasure in

proposing the adoption of the Report and the passing of the Accounts, Mr Chairman. I feel it as a privilege that I have been requested to do so. No one knows better than I do myself the amount of charity, in the real meaning of the word, that is accomplished by this Society. Attached to a Hospital such as I am, I am naturally brought into contact with, amongst others, some of the saddest phases of human life, and I have been very thankful that there is such a Society to which I have been able to refer many cases which I would not have felt justified in asking the Government to help. I have much pleasure in proposing the adoption

Captain Anderson seconded, and the mo-The meeting then proceeded to elect a Committee for the ensuing year, and the following ladies were chosen, viz. :- Miss Anderson, Mrs Ponte, Mrs Robertson, Mrs Master, Mrs Goodman, Mrs Dickson, Mrs. Forbes, Mrs Siebs, Mrs Swan and Mrs

Miss Anderson said, -- Ladies-I ask you to accord a hearty vote of thanks to Sir Thomas Jackson for having so kindly presided for us. We are all very sensible of the great services of our chairman in every good work affecting the interests of the people of this Colony, and, on the eve of his departure from among us, we desire to record our appreciation of his work and to wish him long life and happiness in the old country. Needless to say, his name will always remain a household word for largehearted sympathy and benevolence. Mrs Siebs seconded, and the vote of thanks was warmly accorded.

preciated the kind words spoken by Miss Anderson. Miss Anderson then proposed a vote of thanks to Mrs Robertson, the retiring treasurer, and also to the retiring members of Committee, who are leaving the Colony.

The Chairman said he very warmly ap-

This was all the business of the meeting.

HAD A GOOD TIME

pains in his stomach, which he feared would grow worse. He says, 'I was telling my troubles to a lady friend, who said : "Chamberwill put you in condition for the party." that two doses cured me and enabled me to have a good time at the party Mr. Suell isaresident of Summer Hill, N. Y., U. S. A. This remedy is for sale by All Dealers; WATKING Ltd., General Agents.

Mrs Poate seconded, and the motion was

J. SNELL wanted to attend a party, but was arraid to do so on account of

lain's Colic, Cholera and Distriboes Remedy bought a bottle and take pleasure in stating-

LONDON LETTER.

(From Our Own Corr woodent.)

London, December 27. It is not always easy to write a letter. One's correspondents do not require one to be always wise or witty or even always informative; but one owes it to those whose courtesy permits him an occasional bearing to be always cheery and readable. The interest may be as ephemeral as the contents of the daily paper are in these hurrying times (when the world is newly created by the magic of the Press with each returning sun and the journalist must be as untiring as the servant of Michael Scott, but a man must give the best that is in him at the moment. How paterfamilias would storm if holidays robbed him of his morning newspaper, as a soggestion that the slaves of the Linotype needed an occasional surcease of toil as well as himself. Yet I know of no newspaper that suspended its issue vesterday or the day before. An unhappy murderer had his execution postponed mê day lâst week on account of some local festivities is the Midlands Death can wait, but not life. I have no reason personally to complain. I have done no work of any sort this week, but have given up my time to the dear delights of a domestic Christmas in England I would rather have been in Hongkong, it is true, in the finest climate for the Christmas season. The author of one of the Psalms plaintively wondered how he was to sing the songs of Zion in a strange land, and at times England is a strange land to those who have acclimatised themselves to the East. British maid-servant is an irritating ex perience to those habituated to the Chinese boy to whom you can speak your mind without fear or favour. Cowering over the fender is humiliat ing, when one thinks of scaling Tai Mc soon be written on all the portals of Shan to the luncheon baskets waiting on the shoelder of the hill. Ping-pong becomes a shrivelled distorted travesty when one thinks of the full-sized courts of springy turf or even the swift

And yet, how even a few months of absence alters the face a Colony so constituted as Hongkong. Death has been so busy there that it would be too painful even to catalogue the names of those who have passed during the year to where beyond these voices there is of us do not see it to the end, a mode peace. I cannot do it. Some whose age was as a lusty winter, frosty but kindly; some whose youth or manhood, aye or womanhood, showed the secret of a happy life in imparting as well as receiving pleasure, and one or two children, transplanted to blossom otherwhere. As for a funeral at sea, the suspiciously greeting new circumstanengines are slowed down to a dead stop, ces; with which; through our own failand then, in a moment's time, the pull is ings, we have not yet been able to drawn away, the forewell words are familiarise ourselves. The cloud of '01 said, and then the order rings out, has passed, the Court is going out of 'Full speed about, so one dare not mourning, and we all turn gaily to pause to let tall a tear. They have greet, with seasonable mirth, passed, and we turn to the duties, cares and joys of the present.

chumam.

Over everything is the shadow of the year that is passing away and the dawn Birthdays, Christmas and New Year are children's festivals rather than those of their seniors, who view the rejoicings through the reflected light from the bright young eyes. Theirs is the future, and the disappointing past is all that belongs to us, . We are one year nearer the inevitable tomb, and are beginning to feel that the days tha are before must be inevitably fewer than the days that have passed. We have become accustomed to the passing | Health did not know before. However, of the years, and have learned to weigh in the multitude of counsellors there is them critically, to compare one with wisdom. another, to talk of the meteors of '71 the war clouds of '85, the disaster that overshadowed Christmas week in '78 and in a dozen ways to recognise that each year, instead of widening a triumphal progress into life, as it does for the bother with it and leave the junks little ones, falls into its own place in a line of many like.

On the whole, one is glad to be at pointing kind of year, and has scarcely tion .- Yours, fulfilled one of the promises of its beginning. We have lost many prominent people whom we could ill spare, from Queen Victoria, the Empress Frederick, fetched. The Netherlands-India have aland President Mackinley downwards; ways been afraid of plague, and have been i we have not yet come even within sight | Hongkong on the slightest suggestion of of the end of the war, which we were told fourteen months ago was all over but the shouting; we are paying fourteempence in the pound for income tax | manhood and womanhood. As the child is and are expecting another big deficit; so is the adult. Hence, health is most England is not any more highly respected and in the Far East we have got no play, prevents proper development of mind. time and Syria. further in the game of shilly-shally and muscle. A sickly, weakly child cannot it seems safe to say that 1901 is not to of such a life. be a memorable one in our annals, unless it chances to have been the birth year of some great man, and we shall have to wait a while before we find that tonic at such times is to withhold from the to the Porte recently, the Powers decline!

We hope for better things from 1902. The South African horizon seems clearseemed clearing before. Besides, the ginning of other problems quite as diffimore prosperous times, but it is always | Watson & Co., Ltd., Hongkong.

easier to increase taxation than to reduce it, and chancellors of the exchequer are unlikely to consent for many years to come to any scale that will reduce the revenue.

It seems ungrateful to be so willing to turn our backs upon a year we have known so intimately since its babyhood, but then, it should have treated us better. One is sorry to be a year, older, for this is becoming rapidly a young man's world. There is but little room now for the middle-aged or elderly, and their space is begrudged to theme num in a hurry is master of every situaare beginning to find the pace a little too fast for us. 1902 threatens us with aerograms, wireless telephony, Mond gas and a host of inventions that are to revolutionise our intercourse with fellow-mortals and intrade their wireless, tireless industry on usoldsiers, who only ask to be left alone. When the last decomptive is sold for scrap iron and our children are blown or sucked through tubes to distant towns; when the domesticated lightning flash takes us

daily to and from work sixty miles awav; when we are burning water and feeding on extract of air, perhaps science will be satisfied; I doubt it. Then will come the time to rectify the axis of the earth, and give every land its own climate, equable and unvariable The bare task of fiving is hard enough for many of us now. What will it be in a few years time when we shall be hopelessly out of date in the new world that Marconi and Tesla and Dewar are making for us. It will be well if men still remain human, if kindly affection does not take flight from the clang of machinery, and if space be still found for harmless mirth. I fear that 'No

Admission Except on Business' wil

Still, Sursum Corda. The world is young yet, even if we are not, ' Much remains to be done, of which we are not too old to have a hand in the doing. will be known as the Irish Horse, and the Half the joy of abdication consists in the reflection that so comforted poor Iddesleigh, 'I have left no arrears.' We will face 1902 brightly, and make it, or at any rate our part of it, if some of honest work, that our children may not blame our faint-heartedness for the imperfections which will still be nume rous enough in 1903. Thus everyone may insure, though not assuredly, a happy new year, at least one far hap- and freedom of British rule. pier than time spent in grumbling over the good old times and grudgingly and

THE GRACIOUS YEAR TWO.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE PLAGUE. To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.'

Hongkong, January 29. Sir, -- While professing every respect for aman of Professor Simpson's attainments and experience, I cannot help noticing that the first result of his advice over say a couple of sporadic cases of plague has been to get the port proclaimed by the Govern ment of Netherlands-India, and doubtless others will follow suit. Moral-Keep these matters out of the Government Gazelle. Again, there can be no doubt that the recommendations made by Professor Simpson are good, but he has toldrus nothing new or that our own Medical Officer

As to rats! We have been spending Coloured Labour on Mail Steammoney over that problem for some years, There is a fine neglected hunting ground at the Hunghom foreshore, most of the Docks, and among the Chinese building slips. Then as to steamer inspection, wh

The thing is a howling farce. It must be a ring fence with no outlets or nothing. Among all this academic discussion, praiseworthy in itself, I admit, there has not been one word as to the real source of the plague in Hongkong-the drains! the end of 1901. It has been a disap- I commend them to Dr Simpson's atten-

> SMELLUM. [We are of opinion that the connection attempted to be set up between Dr Simpson's acts and the interdict of the Government of Netherlands-India is farinvariably the first to close down upon communicable disease here sporadić or otherwise.—Ed., C.H.]

Childhood is the formative period of and the Sanctuary. necessary during this important stage of

Often children need a good tonic-some-

Steams' Wine of Cod Liver Oil is a tonic and tissue-builder admirably ing, but this may mean little, -it has adapted to children. It is delictous in taste and they like it. It does not disturb their stomachs and has no drawbacks. Its inend of the war is bound to be the be- fluence is for good only-it makes children grow, makes their eyes bright, their checks. rosy. It makes them gleeful and full of cult to solve. At home the cessation of life. It forms them into stalwart men and extraordinary expenditure may lead to healthful women. Wholesale from A. S.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

Christmas on the Veldt. London, Dec. 27 .- Lord Kitchener semi

convoys with Christmas cheer, tobacco, and beer to all columns in the field and to the remotest blockhouses and camps. Eighty five thousand Christmas parcels were delivered to the troops.

The Queen's gifts of pipes to the soldiers of those regiments with which she is connected were eagerly welcomed.

The Boer Ultimatum.

Dec. 26.—The Daily Mail publishes letter signed by Commandant Snyman, and which was found in a trench at Mafeking. It is dated September 11, 1899, and shows that Mr Kruger was absolutely resolved on war, and determined upon the issue of an Youth will be served, and the young ultimatum before Great Britain was ready. The Boer ultimatum was received on October 10, 1899, and a state of war began tion. Those of us who are not yet old on the following day. On October 12, Boer troops invaded Natal.

Lord Rosebery and Kruger. Dec. 27.—The Pester Lloyd, a Hungarian journal, says that Mr Kruger's friends are rying to arrange that Lord Rosebery and Mr Kruger shall meet at Utrecht

Educating Boer Children. Fifteen thousand children in the Transvant and 8000 children in the Orange River Colony are attending the Government schools. No compulsion has been used to secure their attendance.

Obituary. Jan. 2.—The death is announced of Lady

Augustus Loft is, wife of Lord Augustus Loftus, who was Governor of New South Wales, 1879-85. [Lady Augustus Loftus was the second daughter of Admiral H. F. Greville, and in 1845 married Lord Augustus Loftus. Jan. 3. The death is announced of Professor Morris, of Melbourne, in his

59th year. Death was due to pneumonia. A Golden Year. Dec. 31.—The Standard, in its annual review of the year, states that 1901 has been a golden year as regards Imperial

The Times pays a glowing tribute to the | stone would have revealed their presence fruitful sympathy of 'our kinsmen over Tramway Strike in Edinburgh. Dec. 30. - The trainway conductors at

Edinburgh have struck against Sunday labour, failing a settlement of the general wages question. Yesterday inspectors manned the three cars which alone were Irish Irregulars.

Jan. 1.—The Earl of Longford and Vis-

count. Fineastle are raising two regiments

for service in South Africa. One regiment other as Fincastle's Horse. The embarka-

tion will take place at an early date. Australasian Imperialism. Sir Andrew Clarke, the Agent-General for Victoria, has an article entitled 'The British Naval Position in the Eastern Seas? in the current number of the Nincteenth Century and After: Sir Andrew Clarke applands the masterful self-confidence of Australasian patriotism in embarking an Imperial struggle in Australasia. goes on to say that the Imperialism will be of a true, responsible, and beneficial character, opening its arms to all comers who recognise and appreciate the justice

The Times applauds the sentiments expressed by the article.

British Revenue Returns. The revenue returns for the quarter ended Docember 31 were published this morning. The total revenue for the quarter was £35.991.808, to which customs contributed £9,337,180, excise £11,513,000, and stamps £2,020,000.

The Vatican.

Jan. 3.—The Tablet says that the Pope has appointed a Pontifical Commission to Opposition, is attibuted to his (Lordconsider all questions and difficulties sub- Rosebery's) desire to organise a national mitted by Roman Catholic scholars in connection with Biblical studies. Cardinal Parocchi has been appointed president of

the commission. Newfoundland Fisheries. The Daila Express says that high officials in Newfound and have no information that Great Britain is engaged in negotiations with France regarding the French

shore question, and that the colony's representations to Mr Chamberlain on the matter remain ananswered 'The Highland Host.'

Dec. 31.—The residents of the island of

Lewis, Hebrides, refusing to recognise the union of the Free and United Probyterias Churches, besieged the police for six hours in a church at Ness, stoning and compelling them to leave the island. The military has been summoned.

Jan. 3.-The Bengal Chamber of Commerce has appealed to Lord Curzon of Kedleston, the Viceroy of India, in protest against 'the interference of Australia with Asiatic labour beyond the limits of her own | Cabello, where the German squadron is

The Chamber of Commerce states that, safe anchorage.] such interference imperils the interests of the 70,000 Lascar scainen and firemen employed by the mail companies, and such a delay the issue of her ultimatura to Venepolicy is retrograde and unwarthy of the | zuela until the Venezuelan rebellion is set-Legislature of any British dominion. The tled. hope is expressed that the British Government will amend the provisions of the Act proventing the employment of coloured abour on mail steamors.

Dr Joseph Parker's Message.

At the service in his church on Thursday Dr Joseph Parker, the Congregational divine, sent New Year's messages to the Kings, to President Roosevelt, to the news papers, and to Australia. His message to Australia is: 'Your Commonwealth will be as sounding brass or a rinkling cymbal if you loosely hold the Bible, the Sabbath,

The Zionist Congress. The Zionist (Jewish) Congress at Basel

the soil. It was estimated in 1899 that modern scientific sense-that stage of thing to stimulate their organs to the full The movement (Zionist) for founding a he can force the deities to comply with his latent energies. A failure to give a good Dr Theodore Herzl, of Vienna. Replying child a stimulus that may materially affect to prevent their respective Jewish subjects the future happiness and success of its settling in Ottoman territory. The Sultan recently made important concessions to the Zionists.

The 'Ban Righ' Declared a

of £2000 and the value of the cargo for the is far more widespread. Any object may capture of the steamer Ban Right which has become a fetich provided only it is capable been rechristened the Libertador. The of heing appropriated literally or metavessel has been declared a pirate.

[The Ban Righ, when about to depart | thinking is of course based on fancied from the Thames, was detained by the analogies. Fetiches are attached to indivi-Castoms officers on account of the suspici- duals, to families, or to tribes, and it is

leased in a few days, and proceeded to kicked as a warning when they have failed Antwerp, where she was fitted out as a to bring the luck that was expected. In Colombian gauboat

THE CHINA MAIL.

Great Britain and France. The Daily Express advocates that con

cessions should be made to France in West Africa, or that full recognition of French rule in the New Hebrides should be given in exchange for a settlement of the French I fishing shore in Newfoundland.

The United States. Mr Carnegie has converted into National Bonds the Steel Trust bonds which he

recently offered for the purposes of national University. [Mr Carnegie gave 10,000,000 dollars for the establishment of a national system Iniversity extension, but the President declined the gift, because of the provision to hold the amount in Steel Trust bonds for a long term of years.]

The Hungarian Premier and Great Britain.

Dec. 30.-The Times says that the Marquis of Salisbury (the Prime Minister) has conveyed to M. Szell, the Premier of Hungary, the assumance that Great Britain would be ever grateful for his chivalrous defence of Great Britain in the Hungarian

[M. Szell, in the course of a speech in the Hungarian Diet on December 11. declared that the great British nation deserved the esteem of Hungary.

The Tweefontein Surprise. The men who were taken prisoners by OLLECTOR having good Duplicates Commandant de Wet, in his attack on the Imperial Yeomanry camp at Tweefontein on Christmas morning, have been released, and have arrived at Bethlehem.

The newspapers agree that the brilliant provess of Commandant do Wet recalls General Jouhert's tactics at Majuba, but that de Wet's success does not affect the

The Standard suspects that there has been a grave lack of vigilance. The Times makes a similar remark, and adds that it is hardly conceivable that any large portion of 1260 men could otherwise have ascended such a, steep incline as the southern slope of the kopje is, as a falling

Hindering Commanders.

Mr Bennet Burleigh, the war correspondent of the Doily Telegraph, characterises as monstrous the compelling of British commanders to consult with the headquarters at Pretoria prior to attacking the enemy. He states that this order has resulted in the Boers escaping in fumberless instances.

The French Congo.

Forty Frenchmen, who possess concessions awarded by M. Waldeck-Rousseau the French Premier, have arrived in the French Cougo, and are virtually expelling the English merchants.

The British newspapers insist that the granting of trade monopolies is an infringement of the Berlin Act of 1885. The French press, in reply, state that the concessions cover agricultural and not

trade monopolies. The Temps, of Paris, deprecates a quarrel over the rubber trade, and advises a settlement of the dispute without arbitration. By the Congo Conference hold at Berlin in 1885, it was agreed that 'foreigners' shall enjoy, without distinction, the same rights and treatment as subjects of th State exercising sovereign rights,' and that no Power is to institute monopolies of special privileges of any kind in the con-

ventional basin of the Congo. The Liberal Party.

Dec 3.1, the Standard says that Lord Rosebery has declined an invitation from Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, Leader of the Liberal party, to join in the leadership. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman will shortly challenge the Liberal Imperialists whether they will support him | quired. in the House of Commons.

Lord Resebery's aloofness from Sir H. Company's Office. Campbell-Bannerman, the leader of the party independent of the Irish Nationalists and of the extreme. Badical wing of the

Liberal party.

Dec. 31.—The Leads Mercury states that Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman has seen Lord Rosebery, who insisted upon the acceptance of the policy recently enunciated at Chesterfield without any variation. Sir-H. Campbell-Bam erman will consult Sir W. Vernon Harcourt and Mr John Movley.

Germany and Venezuela. Dec. 27. - A German squadron, consisting

of the second-class cruiser Vincta, the third-class cruiser Falke, and the training ships Moltke and Stein, is at Puerto Cabello, on the Venezuelan coast. It is believed that the commander of the squadron is the bearer of an ultimatum to Venezuela with regard to the German

[A week ago Germany informed the United States that while about to compel Venezuela to pay the just claims of Germans she did not intend to permanently occupy Venezuelan ports. General Castro thereupon announced that he would not suffer Germany to humiliate Venezuela or deprive the Republic of its rights. Puerto anchored, is on the north coast, and is a

Jan. 1.—At the instance of the United States it is believed that Gormany will

Nigeria.

Dec. 30.—Further successes by British roops in Southern Nigeria are reported. The Cross River tribes suffered heavy

Long 'Juju,' a dreaded object of fetichworship, was discovered. Fetichism may be described as a belief that the possession of a thing can procure he services of a spirit lodged within it The fetich is an object capable of being ap-

propriated by an individual, and counted as animate and conscious. Fetichism flourishes among savages, and indeed in the lower strata of all know civilisations. The word itself is ultimately due to the Portuguese, the first Europeans to trade on the physical development. Ill health renders has established a fund to purchase settle. West Coast of Africa, who expressed their The Jewish colonies in the Holy Land but it received its currency through the dilly-dally. It is not easy for content be expected to enter mature life, healthy are flourishing, and the Jews are returning medium of the French. Sir John Lubbock's porary observers to write history, but and robust, and to achieve the possibilities to the land of their ancestors as tillers of definition of fetichism, is nearest to its there were 40,000 Jews in the country, religious thought in which man supposes performance of healthful function, or arouse | Jewish State in Palestine was started by desires. Fetichism may be said to be 'primitive' when man, personifying everything around him, chooses among these imaginary personalities an object capable of being appropriated to himself, the spirit of which becomes his protector, his slave. What may be called secondry fetichism 'implies belief in the incorporation of a spirit in some object chosen as fetich, either by a simple act of spontaneous choice Jan. 1.—Venezuela has offered the sum or through a magical operation. The latter

phorically by an individual. All savage

ous character of her cargo. She was re-1 even not unusual to see them beaton or the carrying of crooked sixpences and luck tokens there is something more than an analogy to the fetich of the savage. The juju, a word which Miss Mary Kingsley

> an object of fetich worship.] To-day's Advertisements

derives from the French joujou, a doll, is

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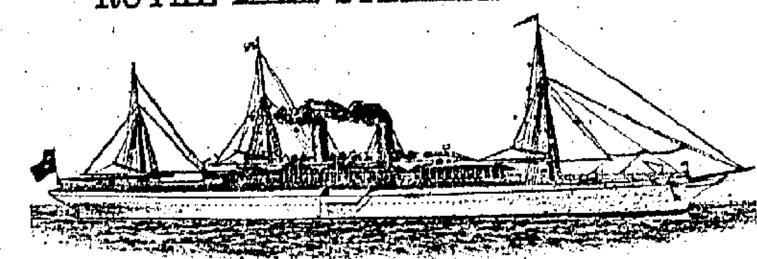
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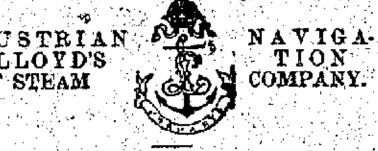
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Hongkong, January 27, 1902. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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Hongkong, January 23, 1902.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Superintendent.

FROM GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL.

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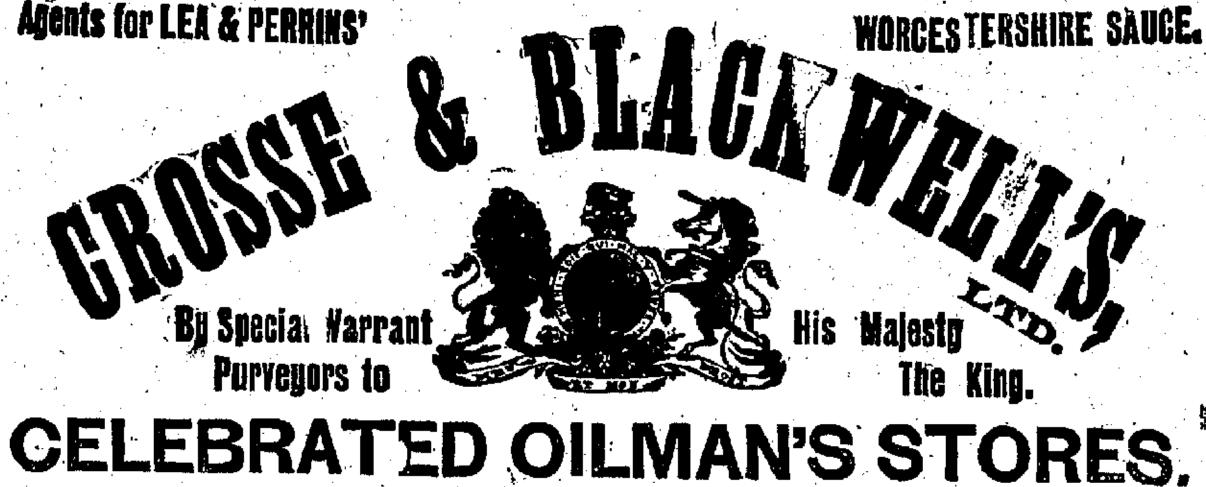
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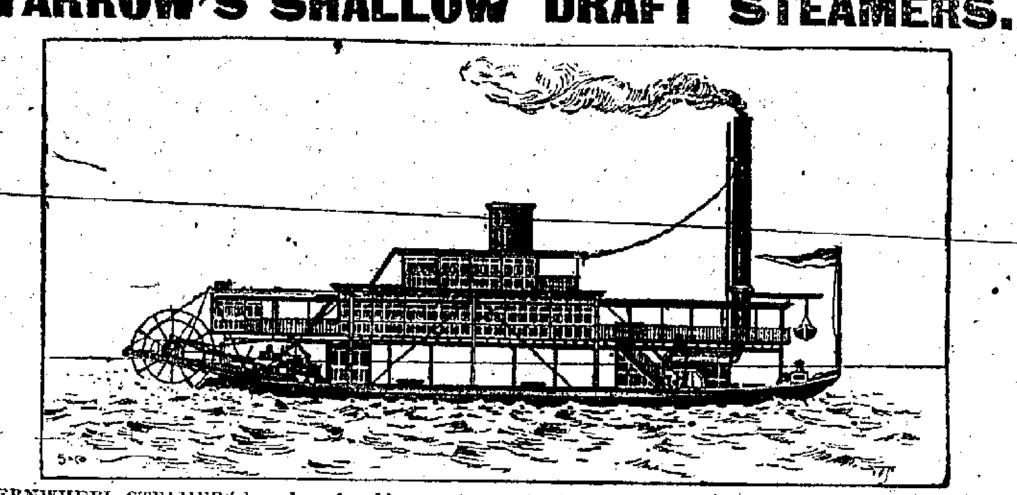
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Thales, for Swatow. Parting, for Shanghai. Simble, for Singapore and Hamburg. Conton, for Canton. PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

CLEARED.

Nankin, for Singapore and Bombay.

Australian, for Macan and Sydney.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

January 28. Bombay, British str., 3,319, H. S. Brad-

Hothao, French str., 508, M. Merlees,

January 29.

Canton, British steamer, 1,110, D. F. F.

Hiroshima Maru, Japanese str., 2,035,

Hailoong, British str., 783, H. Bathurst,

Anjoing, British str., 1,159, H. Barlow,

Daijin Maru, Japanese steamer, 899, T.

Apenrade, German str., 611, H. Loren-

China, German str., 1,113, E. Krubbe,

Lucia, British barque, 640, Andersen,

Eclipse, British erniser, from Tai-po.

His, German gunboat, from Canton.

DEPARTURES.

January 29,

Store Nordiske, Danish cable str., from a

28. General.—Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.

-Douglas Steamship Co.

Saigon Jan. 24.—Chinese.

Nama Mara, for Kobe.

Amning Mora, for Systow.

Hangang, for Maji.

Rubi, for Manila,

Anning for Canton.

Per Bombay, for Hongkong: from Lordon, Col. and Mrs Ferrier; from Singapore, Messrs White, Lancaster, McGine, and Wilkinson Clifford; from Penang, 58 Chineså; from Singapore, 219 Chinese. For Kobe : from Singapore, Mr Arnold. Per Centon, from Shanghai, Messra Nilson and Lehmann.

DEPARTED. Per Tartar, from Hongkong: for Shanghai, Capt. W. B. Hulke, Mr L. Witt, Mr W. W. Rich, Mr C. L. Wong, and Inspector Vernieux; for Kobe, Mr S. Komor and child, and Mr C. C. Felton; for London, Mr and Mrs J. H. Hurst.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Hailoung reports Pakhoi to Hoihow, moderate E.S.E. wind

and sea and fine cloudy weather. Holhow to Hongkong, fresh monsoon, considerable E'ly swell and fine, clear weather. The British steamer Anging reports: From Shanghai Jan. 26th, light to moderate Northerly winds and sea, with fine weather.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:—

Per Futshan, at 7.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 30th January. For SARAWAK .-Per Dr Hans Jury King, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 30th January.

For ELEPHAN POINT,— Per Callioge, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 30th January. För MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND,

NEY & MELBOURNE.— Per Yawata Maru, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 30th January. For KUMCHUK & SAMSHUI,—

Per Tungkong, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 30th January. Fer Hollan, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 30th January.

For KWONG-CHOW-WAN & HAI-PHONG.-Per Michael Jebsen, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 30th January. For SHANGHAL.

the 31st January. For SINGAPORE, COLOMBO & BOM-BAY.--Per Hiroshima Mora, at 11 a.m., on

Friday, the 31st January. For MANILA .--Per Yuensang, at 3 p.m., on Friday, the 31st January.

For CHINKIANG.

Per Childi, at 4 p.m., on Friday, the 31st January.

Per Tsinan, at 4 p.m., on Friday, the 31st Japuary. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .--

The British Contract Packet' Coromandel will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 1st February, with Mails for the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. Circulars at 8 a.m. Printed Matter and Samples at 9 a.m.

Registration at 10 a.m. (Registration, with late fee of 10 cents up to 10.45 a.m.) Letters at Il a.m. Late Letters 11.10 to 11.30 a.m. Extra Postage 10 cents.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET,— The German Contract Packet Preussen will be despatched on THURSDAY the 5th February, with Mails for the United Kingdom, "the Continent of Europe and countries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements. Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, (via Tuticorin), Aden. Egypt, Malta, &c.,

Printed Matter and Samples at 9 a.m. Registration 10 a.m.: Registration, with late fee of 10 cents, up to 10.45 a.m.) Letters, at 11 a.m. Late Letters 11.05 to 11.20 a.m. Extra poetago 10 conts. 🔧

REGISTRATION.—Correspondence can be Aberdeen .- Phra Nang, Shirley.

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Mobile Bay Brit. bqc. 1117 Dec. 12 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Nemia....... 3 c.Rowehl Ger. bqc. 1921 Jan. 18 E. A. Trading Co. Vale of Doon 2 kiPetersen Brit. bqe. 669 Dec. 16 Sander, Wieler & Co. STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL ter secreto citioutiff scriffing. Arara, Marco, Minghetti, Dec. 20; Cycus, Teresa, 24; Claverd de, Madeleine, 31; January 3; Andalusia, Malaya, Purrhus, Yunnon, 7; Canton, Achilles, Trieste, Ulysses, Priam, Nassovia, 14; Hakota Maru, Ixion, Kaisaw, Suevia, Aragonia, Kowigsberg, Leander, Sydney, 17; Armenia, Dra-

Sniling Vessels.

gomeon, Tedents, 21; Antenov. 24. ARRIVALS AT HOME. January 27, Borneo. The P. & O. Co 's sir, Chusen, with the ENGLISH MAIL of the 3rd January, left Singapore on Monday, the 27th January, at 6 a.m., and may be ex-

pected here on or about Saturday, the Pescadores ... - - - -1st February. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 2nd December. TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYD- The Imp. German Mail s.s. Sachsen carry- Canton , ________ ing the German Mails with dates from Hongkong 4 p. 30.01 65 71 0 1 c Berlin of the 6th January, left Co- Viet, Peak ... _ _ NNW 1 lombo on Friday afternoon, the 24th Gap Rock ... 30.00 = - E 2 -

> or about Wednesday, the 5th Feb. Steamers Expected.
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> 16 N. Y. K. Sanuki Maru left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of 13th January, and is expected to arrive here on the 29th January, at 2 a.m.
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> Malate ... Malate The N. Y. K. Sanuki Maru left Singapore he Danish steamer Annum left Singapore on Thursday night, the 23rd January, and is due here about Frklay, the 31st | Wlostock | Ta 30.30 - 72 | N 55 | b

Per Loongmoon, at 11 a.m., on Friday, The H. A. L. s'eumer Sithonia, from Hamburg, left Singspore for this port Nagasaki... on Saturday afternoon, the 25th Jan., Kagoshima ,, | - | - | - | - | and may be expected here on or about Taiboku ... 5a, the 1st of February. The O. S. S. Co.'s s.a. Pyrrhus left Singa- Tainan , - - - - - - - -

diesbro' and London, left Singapore Amoy for this port on the 25th January, and Swatow ... , is due here on the 3rd Feb.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Tosa Mara left Kobe, Hongkong 10 s. 30.14 63 73 E 5 C via Shanghai for this port on the 23rd Vict. Peak , - - - ESE 5 - January, and is expected to arrive Gap Rock , 30.12 - E 5 here on the 2nd February.

The China Mutual steamer Pingsuey left Haiphong.. 7.5. 30:13 66 — ESE 2 cq Victoria (B.C.), for Yokohoma, Kobe, Manila 10a. 29.96 79 84 E 1 or

The s.s. Ooperk left Victoria, B.C., on the 6th January, for Yokohama, Kobe, Shanghai and Hongkong. The N. P. Co.'s s.s. Duke of Fife sailed o N. P. Co.'s s.s. Duke of Fife aniled 1. BAROMETER, reduced to 32 degrees Fabrenheit, from Tacoma, for Japan and Hong- and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths, and hunkong, on the 14th January. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Athenian left Vancouver on Monday afternoon, the 13th Januard, for Hongkong, via the usual

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. Tacoma sailed from Tacoma for Yokohama, on the 27th January. The s.s. Hillglen left Shanghai on the night of 28th January, for Hougkong. night of 28th January, for Hongkong.

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of Japan left Vancouver on Monday afternoon, the 27th January, for Hongkong, via the usual ports of call.

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Which is defined by taking your left in the Cod Liver Oil, it is so nice to the just like Port, is easily digested to the just like Po

Latest Advices.

VESSELS AT THE DOCKS :-- At Kowloon .- ful in its work, and overywhere I go shall Canton River, H. J. Albrecht, Saturn, not fail to recommend it. Vigilante, Rapsuitsai, U.S.S. Brooklyn, Bydgo, Peiyang, Waterwitch. Cos reopolitan. - Petrarch, Glenogle, Hankow, Coptic.

Hongkong Tides. China Coast Meteorological Register.

28|Nippon Yusen Kaisha

January 29th .- AT 4 P.M. ter Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui during the years 1887-8-9. The zero of the table is Low Water Orto be 2 feet below mean sea level. Wl'ostock 2 p. 29.95 23 - 0 0 Tokio ... | .. | - | - | given in the table.

dinary Spring Tides, which has been found | Star Ferry Company, Ld. To obtain the depth of water on the tide | Shanghai Tug Boat Co., Ld. gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 5 ft. Taku Tug and Lighter Co., Ld. 7 in., and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 12 ft. 9 in. to the height | Co-operative Cargo Boat Co., Ld. ... Taichu..... 30th to 5th February. Tainan , - - - - - -HIGH WATER. LOW WATER. Time. Hongkong Height. | Gutzbaff . | 3 p. | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | Sharp Pk..., $\frac{-}{30.06} = \frac{-}{62} = \frac{-}{83} = \frac{-}{5} = \frac{-}{6}$ January, and may be expected here on Macao 30.00, 71 - Exp 3 o Mon. Manila 29.80 84 71 WNW 1 c 4 1 m 10 59 1 2 Wed. 5 m 8 45 1 8 m 1 27 -0 4 6 43 a 4 4 0 2 a 1 3 Exchange. Hongkone, January 29, 1902. On London-Bank, Wire, 1/10. Documentary, 4 months' sight, ...1/10 3

S'pore & Hamburg Jan. 30.

S'pore & Calcutta Feb. 4.

Manila & Sydney - Jan. 30.

..... K'loon Dock

Jan. 30.

K'loon Dock

On demand, 2.31 Credits, 4 months' sight, ... 2.35 On New York— On demand. Credits, 60 days' sight, ... 454 30.17 58 76 NE 2 C n Bombay— Wire, 1361 HK, and China Gas Co., Limited ... Canton , 30.10 61 94 se 2 b On demand, 137 On Calcutta---Wire,... 1363 On demand, 137 On Singapore— On demand, ½ % pm. On demand, 2½ % pm. Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, On demand, 721 30 days' sight, (private paper) 73 On demand, 101 % rm. Gold Loaf, 100 fine, (per tael)... Sovereigns (Bank's huying inte)

Opium Quotations. 3 Humbert, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being 100.
4. Direction of Wind, according to Beaufort Scale.
5. Force of Wind, according to Beaufort Scale.
6. State of Whather, b blue sky, c detached clouds.
6 drizzling rain, fog, g gloomy, h hall, I lightning, o overcast, p paraing showers, q squally, r rain, s snow, t Hongkong, January 29, 1902. Naw Patna, cash. 2023 Old Patna, cash, New Benares, cash. 900 New Malwa, credit, 900/910 Allowance, Taels, 4./12 Last Year, 910/929 Allowance Taels 0/8 Old Malwa credit, 939/940 Allowance, Taels, 4/8 Persian, Oily, cash, Allowance, Taols, net/1 cat. Persian, Paper tied long..... 610/640 Allowance Tank,

Silver (per oz.)

WEATHER REPORT. The following notice is issued from the Observatory :--On the 29th at 11.23 a. The barometer is rising over Southern China, Pressure 9. Museum, Mansions, Great Russell is highest over North China, and gradients Wholesale from A. S. Watson & Co. | are moderate for NE winds. Forecast : -

Fresh NE winds ; fine.

B'bay, via S'poro, C'bo. Hiroshima Maru (s) ... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Jan. 31, at noon. Bremen. &c. Preussen (s)Melchers & Co........ Feb. 5, at noon. Havro and Hamburg. C. Ferd. Lacisz (s)..... Hamburg-Am'ka Linie Feb. 26. Havre and Hamburg. Andalusia (s) Hamburg-Am'ka Linic March 15. Hoilo and Cebu Kaifong (a)...... Butterfield & Swire.... Feb. 7. Kobe Tsinan (s) Butterfield & Swire... Jan. 31. Kobe and Yokohama. Sannki Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Jan. 31, Daylight. London Stontor (s) Butterfield & Swire ... Feb. 4. London v. Suez Canal Glongarry (s) McGregor Bros. & Gow Feb. 15.
London, &c. Coromandel (s) P. & O. S. N. Co...... Feb. 1, at noon. Manila and Australia.. Changsha (a) Butterfield & Swire.... Feb. 20. Marseilles, London, &c Kawachi Maru (s)..... Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Feb. 8, Daylight. New York v. Suez Canal Hillglen (a)..... . Dodwell & Co., Ltd ... About Feb. 3. New Yorkv. Snez Canal Lowther Castle (8) ... Dodwell & Co., Limited About Feb. 8 New York v. Sugz Canal Indrani (s) Jardine, Matheson & Co Feb 5, at 5 p.m. S. Francisco v. Japan. Strathgyle (s) Butterfield & Swire About Feb. 28. Scattle, via Japan...... Tosa Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha Feb. 10, at 4 p.m. Shanghai Loongmoon (a) Siemssen & Co...... Jan. 30, at 5 p.m Shanghai & Chefoo Paoting (s) Butterfield & Swire ... Jan. 30. S'pore, P'ang, Calcutta Shisang (s) Jardine, Matheson&Co Feb. 4, 2.30 p.m.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

JANUARY 29, 1902. Closing Quotations, Value. Shares. Cash. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 80,000 \$ \$620, sellers London, £64 Bank of China & Japan, Limited National Bank of China, Limited ... 19,970 & 10 | £ 8 1827, buyers 10 L 8 327, buyers 1 £ 1 \$10, sellers Founders' shares 750 £ MARINE INSURANCES.
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld. ... China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld.... 24,000 | 3 5,000 £ 100 £ 25 Tls. 185 buyers North-China Insurance Co., Ld. 30,000 \$ Straits Insurance Co., Ld. 100 S 20 lin liquidation. Union Insurance Society, Ld..... 50 **\$**342} Yangtsze Insurance Association, Ld. 8,000 | \$ 60 \$130 FIRE INSURANCES. China Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 20,000 \$ 20 \$90, sales & sellers Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 8,000 | 3 50 \$370, sales H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co. Ld., 50,000 | 3 Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited. 25 8 25 \$52, sellers New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd..... $6,000 \mid \$$ S. C. Farnham, Boyd & Co. Ld...... 55,700 Tls. 100 Tls. 260, sales STRAMBOATS, TUGS, ETC. all \$4 sellere 15 \$ 15 \$371 all

The Tide Table given below has been China and Manils S. S. Co., Ld., compiled by the Nautical Almanae Office Douglas Steamship Co., Limited ... 20,000 |\$ in London from the result of the analysis | HK. C. and M. Steamhout Co., Ld. 80,000 of observations taken by means of an au- Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited 60,000 & 10 £ 10 \ £10 (new issue) 20,000 £ 10 £ 5 £5 10,000 \$. 10 \$ 10 \$9, sellers Shell Transport & Trading Co., Ltd. 2000,000 E $1 \times 1 \times 2$, sales 1,000 Tis. 100 Tis100 Tis. 175, sales 8,600 Tls. 50 Tls 50 Tls. 165, sales 2,000 Tls. 100 Tls100 Tls. 1371, sellers Shanghai Cargo Boat Co., Ld. 1,000 Tis. 100 Tis100 Tis, 1371, sellers REPINERIES. 20,000 \$ China Sugar Company, Limited 7,000 | 3Luzon Sugar Company, Limited. ... Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ld..... 7,000 Tls. 50 Tls 50 Tls. 77 HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co. 30,000 \$ 50 si \$96, buyers Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co.... 15;100 Tls. 100 Tis100 Tls. 270, sellers EAND AND BUILDING. Hongkong Land Investment and } 100 \$184, ex div., sellers Agency Company, Limited Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ld. | 26,000 Tls. 50 Tls. 50 Tls. 114, sales Kowloon Land and Building Com.) pany Wei-hei-wei Land & Building Co., Ld 3,000 Tls. 25 Tls. 25 Tls. 20 Humphreys Estate & Finance Co... 100,000 \$ West Point Building Co., Limited... 12,500 |\$ 50 \$ 50 \$62h, ex div., sellers . TRAMWAYS. 100 all \$305, buyers HK. High-Level Tramways Co., Ld. 1,250 \$ Jelebu Mining & Trading Co., Ld... 60,000 \$ New Punjom Mining Co., Ld...... 60,000 |\$

,, Preference shares..... Société Francaise des Charbon } 16,000 Fcs. 250 all · nages du Tonkin. Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd. ... 12,000 3 Oriente Hotel, Manila..... Astor House Hotel Ltd. (Tientsin). 2,000 T.Tls. 50 Tls. 50 Tls. 125 On Berlin-Demand,... 1.872 Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'hai) 4,500 \$ 100 **S** 100 **S**285, sales DISPENSARIES. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited. 60,000 |\$ 10 al Si5, sellers Watkins Limited 10 | 8 | 10 | \$10

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Shanghai Gas Company, Ltd 10 S . 10 \$13}, buyers Hongkong Electric Co., Limited ... 30,000 \$ New Electrics new were 30,000 \$. 10 \$ 5 861, buyers BRICK AND CEMENT. Green Island Coment Co., Ld.: 50,000 8 10 8 10 321 MISCELLANEOUS. Manila Investment Co., Ld. 20,000 3 50 | \$ 50 | \$45, sellers Ld. United Asbestos Oriental Agency,) 10 8 4 891, sales Limited 50 8 5 850 Hongsong Bakery Company, Ld. ... 10 | 5 7 | \$8, sellers Hk. Steam Water-boat Co., Ltd. ... 71 al \$11 Hongkong Dairy Farm Co. 10,000 25 at \$195 Hongkong Ice Company, Limited ... Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd..... 7,200 £ 20 F 20 Tls. 3.0, sales Tebrau Planting Company, Ltd..... 20,000 \$ 5 8 5 81 H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. 10,000 S 50 all \$175 Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ld., 120,000 \$ 100 | \$ 100 | \$14, buyers Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weav-17,500 Tls. 100 Tls100 T)s. 42, sales International Cotton Manufactur-10,000 Tis. 100 Tis10 Tis. 25 ing Co . Ld. Laou-Kung-Mow Cotton Spinning) 8,000 Tls. 100 Tls100 Tls. 50

and Weaving Co., Ld. 2,000 Tis, 500 Tis500 Tist 150 Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Co., Ld. China Provident Louis Mortgage | | 60,000 \$ 20 \$ 10 \$9.20, buyers Co., Ld. 20 8 15 \$38, sellers China Borneo Company, Ltd. Universal Trading Co..... 20 8 20 \$20, ex div., sellers Robinson Piano Co. Ltd. 3.200 3 50 8 50 \$50 Nom. Campbell, Moore & Co., Limi ed ... 1,200 8 10 all \$21, buyers 10 8 10 39 CIGAR COMPANIES. Philippine Tobacco Trust Co., Ld.... 20, 000 8 50 8 50 850 sellers

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